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Applicants for the position as sub-
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naval station, the examination which
will take place on December 16, num-
ber about thirty so far.

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THE FOOTBALL PLAYER, THE PRETTY GIRL AND THE LITTLE DUDE.

THE LOS ANGELES EXCURSION COMING

In the weekly letter of today from Secretary H. P. Wood to the Hawaii Promotion Committee there is corroboration of the report, published exclusively in yesterday's Star, that a business men's excursion from Los Angeles was coming to Honolulu. This is the letter entire.

By the steamship Alameda we sent out some twenty thousand pieces of advertising matter, being an additional supply for our Los Angeles office and a large consignment of the two pamphlets issued by the Hawaiian Committee of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, which we are forwarding to Dr. Howard at the request of the local committee. In this shipment we also included several thousand copies of our different folders which will be distributed by Mr. W. A. Bryan, who will open up a Hawaii Promotion Bureau during the coming session of the American Association at Baltimore, doing his utmost to secure the holding of the 1910 convention of the association in Honolulu.

By the steamship Makura we received upwards of fifty letters from New Zealand, the different states of Australia and Ceylon.

The director of the Intelligence Department for New South Wales writes acknowledging receipt of our last shipment of folders, which he begs to assure us will be carefully distributed in return for the good work we are doing for his bureau in Hawaii.

The American consul at Brisbane writes saying that he has given our map a prominent position in his office and asks for more copies for distribution in Brisbane.

The agent for Thos. Cook & Son at Adelaide reports increasing interest in Hawaii.

W. H. Simpson, advertising manager for the Santa Fe Railway Company, writes under date of November 27 that the new edition of their wall map, in which Hawaii is given so much space, is now under way and that copies will soon be sent us.

I am at last able to report satisfac-

tory progress in the matter of folder distribution at Colombo, Ceylon. The managers of the Galle Face and Grand Oriental hotels, whose cards we carry in our racks, offer to attend to the matter for us at a cost not to exceed four dollars per month. On an average, one passenger steamer per day stops at Colombo on the way to China, Japan or Australia. I am now preparing a small, inexpensive folder, to be published in English, French and German, which will contain a map showing Honolulu at the Cross Roads of the Pacific, changed somewhat to include Colombo, so that every traveler touching at that port will have his attention called to Hawaii's position and will also be informed as to hotel accommodations, stop-over privileges, etc.

A short letter from Jack London, from the Solomon Islands, closes with the best of luck for Hawaii and things Hawaiian.

Frank C. Clark writes under date of November 20 that his westward around the world cruise, February 5, 1910, is full up with a rapidly growing waiting list. Mr. Clark says further: "We expect to repeat these cruises for the following year and will send a full supply of programs and booklets next June for same and will be glad to have the co-operation of your committee." We have written Mr. Clark, urging him to keep his steamer in port, say five days, in order to give those who may wish to do so a chance to visit the volcano and have assured him that, even if his passengers do not go to the volcano, five days will be only too short a time for them in Hawaii. We could readily arrange different forms of entertainment at but slight expense.

Our representative at Los Angeles, Mrs. Frances K. Headlee, writes under date of November 27, in part as follows: "Some news of importance concerning the prospect of a direct line of steamers out of San Pedro has just been obtained. The parties in charge will send out a small boat in a few days loaded with merchandise and carrying several representative busi-

ness men. The plan of the business delegation is to remain sometime in the islands in an endeavor to work up reciprocal business. The plan of a general excursion is still kept to the front by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce."

Mr. J. H. Whyte, secretary of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce, writes under date of November 27: "We are working on the Hawaii excursion and think it will come out alright. We will let you know in a little while how we are getting on. We have an excursion to Spokane and that will take a few weeks' work. I am very anxious to see Hawaii myself and everybody else in this vicinity seems to feel the same way."

FOR OUR HARBORS

(Special Correspondence)

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—In this annual report, which is to form the basis of the river and harbor bill to be passed this session of Congress, the Chief of Engineers of the U. S. Army recommends an appropriation of \$500,000 for continuing the improvement of Honolulu Harbor, and \$600,000 for continuing work on the harbor at Hilo. Of the latter amount however, \$100,000 was authorized at the last session, so that only a half million new appropriation is requested.

In his report, the Chief of Engineers discusses the works at Honolulu and Hilo, and from that report the following extracts are taken:

HONOLULU HARBOR.

The work under the present project has resulted in an entrance channel 400 feet wide and 35 feet deep at mean low water, except near the marine railway and along the edges, where hard coral was encountered. Shoaling of about 1 foot in places has occurred near the outer end of the naval reservation, due to the littoral drift from the eastward. The harbor proper has a general width of 900 feet, a length of about 3,000 feet, and a minimum depth of about 35 feet, except in the upper basin where, due to the sediment brought down by the Nuuanu stream, there has developed a shoal of 33 feet over a strip 50 to 100 feet wide and 250 feet long.

The commerce of this port for the past calendar year was valued at \$34,948,746, and amounted to more than 386,289 tons.

Work on the present project was begun under an appropriation by the river and harbor act of March 3, 1905. It provides for an entrance channel 35 feet deep and 400 feet wide at mean low water from deep water at the en-

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Hawaiian Cowboy Buncoed In Seattle

WORKED NINE YEARS AND SAVED MONEY WITH WHICH TO COME HOME AND LOST IT ALL IN A NIGHT—THE OLD STORY OF A GOOD TIME AT THE BAR AND A RUDE AWAKENING NEXT DAY.

SEATTLE, November 9.—Laughing heartily at his plight, Esduple Mokuhaue, a Hawaiian, who for nine years has been working on a cattle ranch to save enough money to take a trip to Honolulu, walked into the police station last night and asked for a place to sleep, explaining that he had been robbed of the \$170 he had brought here with him to purchase his ticket home. The Hawaiian had more the appearance of a Mexican or an Indian of one of the Southern tribes, but he spoke the language of the South Sea Islands and stated that for nine years he had punched cattle in the Northwest.

"It's all right," said Mokuhaue: "I'll get lots more work and will make more money. It will not take me so long to save up the price of a ticket home this time. I guess I will have more sense about holding on to the money after I get it, then, too."

"Well, no use crying over spilled milk. Just give me a place to flop and I'll be off in the morning looking for another job. My folks will expect me home to the islands, but they will have to wait awhile now."

"How did I lose it? I don't know just how I did separate myself from that roll. There was \$170 in it when I arrived. There was a bunch of fellows who liked my chaps and sombrero, I guess, and they joined me freely before the bar. The lights went out sometime today, and when I came to my money was gone. I don't know one street from another here. Our outfit was paid off at Odessa, in this state, a few days ago. I guess I can get on with somebody all right again. I expected to sail for my old home in Honolulu on the next boat. It's a long time, nine years, to wait to go home, but what's the use worrying?"

The Hawaiian cowpuncher laughed as he told his story to the clerks and jailers at police headquarters. He doesn't expect to find who took his cash and didn't appear to care much, either.

This morning a detective will be sent out with the victim to attempt to find where he lost his roll.

Capit. W. Weir, Mrs. Forsythe, Mrs. Kallama, W. Cummings, Ida Rodriguez, Agnes Freitas, W. L. Howe, G. C. Sea, E. C. Peters, Mrs. J. Vanhulsen and 2 children, Miss J. Hughes, Miss A. Blaisdell, A. J. Vieira, A. Fernandez, Miss Kaia, W. H. Crozier, S. S. Paxson, E. Langer, Mrs. Rabinowitz and child, and 32 deck.

trace to the light-house point, for easing the curve at the junction of the entrance channel and the inner harbor by cutting off the light-house point, and for enlarging the harbor proper so that it will have a depth of 35 feet and a general width of 1,200 feet at mean low water, at an estimated cost of \$1,625,894.60, exclusive of a new front range light, estimated to cost \$30,000.

The act of 1907 appropriated \$200,000 and authorized continuing contracts for prosecuting the project in the additional sum of \$200,000 which has since been appropriated.

Dredging is being carried on in Sections B and C under a continuing contract. The removal of the light-house point was practically completed and work was commenced on the upper harbor end of Section C.

On June 30, 1908, the sum of \$421,614.98 had been expended; no part of this expenditure was for maintenance.

HILLO HARBOR.
Hilo Bay is practically an open roadstead, protected to a limited extent by Blonde reef, but otherwise exposed through the angle formed by lines drawn from Hilo town to Kanabha and Keokea points—that is, from about north to north 74 deg. east magnetic. Strong northeasterly winds prevail most of the time. These winds cause a choppy sea outside of Hilo Bay and considerable swell in the bay, which at times makes it unsafe for ships to lie at the existing wharves, and renders loading and unloading in the bay difficult. The heaviest seas, however, come from the north during northerly and northwesterly storms, and during this weather it is often impossible for ships to lie at the wharves or even work in the bay.

The present project consists in constructing a rubble mound breakwater along Blonde reef to a point on shore about 6,000 feet east of Coconut Island, at an estimated cost of \$1,700,000.

The project was adopted by the river and harbor act of March 2, 1907, which appropriated \$200,000 and authorized continuing contracts for prosecuting the work in the additional sum of \$200,000, of which \$100,000 is yet to be appropriated.

A contract for the construction of the breakwater was entered into, but at the close of the fiscal year no actual work on the breakwater had been done.

On June 30, 1908, the sum of \$1,725.13 had been expended; no part of this expenditure was for maintenance.

The commerce of this port for the calendar year 1907 was valued at \$7,067,923. This amount does not include the local commerce between Hilo and island ports, a statement of which could not be obtained.

THREE GAMBLERS CAUGHT BY JACK
Chief of Detectives Jack Kalakia and Officer Abi this morning took three Chinese gamblers to the "tank" from the famous Beretania and Maunakea street resort.

This is the place that has stirred the accusations of secret arrangement between the gamblers and some of the police, which informal charges were investigated by Sheriff Lauke and found to be unsubstantiated, which were denied by the gambling chief and which may be thoroughly aired on appeal from the fine imposed on one of the alleged gamblers in police court.

Per S. S. Claudine, December 10, from Hawaii and Maui ports—A. A. Isbell.



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FOR HALEIWA.

Golf is the attraction at Haleiwa just now and while the county road is in such a deplorable condition guests will enjoy the ride by cars which is really very pleasant. The scenery, coast and mountain is very beautiful and wins the admiration of everyone. The accommodations and cuisine at Haleiwa is such as appeals to men and women who are accustomed to the best. St. Clair Biggood is the manager of the hotel.

Fine Job Printing, Star Office.

BURGLED BUREAU IN WINSTON BLOCK

Francisco Castro, burglar, was in police court this morning committed for circuit court trial. Castro, who is a Porto Rican, has not long since completed a prison term, having emerged from jail but two days before he was again in trouble. He was released on Monday after being in half a month for vagrancy and two weeks prior to the vagrancy vacation on the reef he had been released after eight months incarceration for a hold-up in Palama. Castro and one Cadl on Tuesday evening called on a Portuguese lady in the Winston block, leaving at 9 p. m. Two hours later, when Mrs. Vincent was out, a noise was heard in her room and Castro was found to be burgling the bureau. He took \$10 and a small diamond.

TOWN TREATED TO FREE SCARE

Today Honolulu is treated to a free scare, and yet not so free, for lots of money was spent for hacks in which to go to imaginary fires.

Ten new fire alarm boxes are being installed in the suburbs and as each is put in a few alarms are turned in from the new box, just to see if it works right.

The usual scurrying to the supposed scenes of blazes was observed and the usual fright, concern, anxiety, discomfort, inconvenience, botheration and disquiet ensued.

In more places of business than one it could be told, when certain men were asked for, that they had "gone to blazes."

New Advertisements

CORPORATION NOTICES.

H. HACKFELD & COMPANY, LTD.
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of H. Hackfeld & Co., Ltd., was held at Honolulu on the 9th day of December, 1908, and that the following gentlemen are the officers of said company for the ensuing year:
J. F. Hackfeld.....President
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Geo. Rodiek.....Director
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NOTICE.

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